



STATE OF CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

JOB OPPORTUNITY BULLETIN: REHABILITATION THERAPIST, STATE FACILITIES (RECREATION)

SALARY RANGE	Range U: \$5,408 - \$6,367 per month
TENURE/TIME BASE	Permanent, Full-Time
PROGRAM/DEPARTMENT	Various Programs/Various Departments
FINAL FILING DATE	April 11, 2014

<u>DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES</u>: Applicants must provide their proof of internship or equivalent at time of interview.

The Rehabilitation Therapist (Recreation) reports directly to the Program Assistant and plans, develops, and implements therapeutic and leisure activities in a program at the Developmental Center or within the community. Typical working conditions include ongoing interaction with clients in providing assistance to them and allowing them to participate and benefit from leisure and therapeutic pursuits and/or activities of daily living. This also includes assisting with client mobility. The Rehabilitation Therapist participates in assessing the need for leisure and therapeutic equipment for the program/center and the expenditure of allotted funds for same.

The Rehabilitation Therapist is an active participant as a member of the Interdisciplinary Team in the development and implementation of the Individual Habilitation Plan. The incumbent is responsible for reporting significant changes in the client's physical condition or behavior to the appropriate Interdisciplinary Team members, performs initial and ongoing assessments of the clients, plans and provides activities which promote the ability of the client or group of clients assigned to participate effectively in therapeutic pursuits, responds to emergencies that involve the use of medical (such as CPR and First Aid) and behavioral intervention techniques. The Rehabilitation Therapist is expected to maintain a safe, sanitary, and therapeutic environment, promoting respect and dignity for, and protecting the privacy rights, confidentiality, and physical and emotional well-being of all clients.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY: Candidates must possess Civil Service Eligibility to apply. Civil Service Eligibility consists of being a current/former California state civil service employee (lateral transfer/reinstatement) or list eligibility as a result of taking an examination for the classification and having placed in a reachable rank. Further Information may be found on the California State Department of Human Resources website at www.calhr.ca.gov Applicants are asked to specify the eligibility they possess when applying. Applications will be reviewed and only the most qualified candidates will be scheduled for selection interviews. Applications may be obtained from the Human Resources Personnel Office at the Sonoma Developmental Center or completed and downloaded from the California Department of Human Resources website indicated above. Appointments may be subject to State Restriction of Appointment (SROA), Departmental Restriction of Appointment (DROA), Re-employment List procedures, pre-employment physical, drug screen and fingerprint clearances.

Applications must be received no later than close of business of the final filing date (5:00 p.m.) unless otherwise specified. Applications postmarked, personally delivered or received via interoffice mail after the final filing date will not be accepted. Faxed applications, applications submitted electronically and resumes not accompanied by form STD-678 will not be accepted.

PLEASE SEND YOUR COMPLETED STATE APPLICATION (STD. 678) TO THE FOLLOWING:

Sonoma Developmental Center Human Resources Personnel Exam Unit – Room 124 P.O. Box 1493 Eldridge, CA 95431

(707) 938-6820 (Contact Linda Herrera for questions specific to essential functions of the position only.)

Civil Service Eligibility will be determined by the Human Resources Department at the Sonoma Developmental Center.

SONOMA DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER TO ALL REGARDLESS OF RACE, COLOR, CREED, NATIONAL ORIGIN, ANCESTRY, SEX, MARITAL STATUS, DISABILITY, RELIGIOUS OR POLITICAL AFFILIATION, AGE OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION.